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BY ECF

The Honorable Edgardo Ramos
United States District Judge
Southern District of New York
40 Foley Square
New York, New York 10007

Re: *United States v. Louis Martin Blazer, a/k/a "Marty,"*
17 Cr. 563 (ER)

Dear Judge Ramos:

The Government writes to respectfully request that the Court order the United States Probation Office to prepare a presentence report for the above-captioned defendant, Louis Martin Blazer. The Government also requests that the Court schedule a sentencing date for the defendant.

As the Court is aware, Louis Martin Blazer testified on behalf of the Government in the trial of *United States v. Christian Dawkins and Merl Code*, 17 Cr. 684 (ER), pursuant to a cooperation agreement with the Government. At the conclusion of that trial, the Government submitted a letter to Your Honor seeking guidance on whether Blazer should be sentenced before Your Honor or before Judge Vernon S. Broderick, who originally presided over Blazer's criminal case. (See Docket. No. 296 of 17 Cr. 684). Blazer's criminal case was ultimately reassigned to Your Honor. Accordingly, the Government asks that a presentence report be prepared for Blazer and a sentencing date be scheduled.

Respectfully submitted,

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A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Robert L. Boone", is positioned above the typed name of the Assistant United States Attorney.

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